

# LITHUANIA









#### GOVERNMENT

## **Chief of State**

President Gitanas NAUSEDA

#### **Head of Government**

Prime Minister Saulius SKVERNELIS

# **Government Type**

semi-presidential republic

# Capital

Vilnius

# Legislature

unicameral Parliament or Seimas (141 seats)

# **Judiciary**

Supreme Court (consists of 37 judges); Constitutional Court (consists of 9 judges)

# Ambassador to US

Ambassador Rolandas KRISCIUNAS

#### **US Ambassador**

Charge d'Affaires Marcus MICHELI

## **GEOGRAPHY**

#### Area

Total: 65,300 sq km Land: 62,680 sq km Water: 2,620 sq km

#### Climate

transitional, between maritime and continental; wet, moderate winters and summers

#### **Natural Resources**

peat, arable land, amber

# **ECONOMY**

#### **Economic Overview**

macroeconomic stabilization policies, including privatization of most state-owned enterprises, and a strong commitment to a currency board arrangement led to an open and rapidly growing economy and rising consumer demand

# **GDP** (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$91.47 billion (2017 est.)

# **GDP** per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$32,400 (2017 est.)

# **Exports**

\$29.12 billion (2017 est.)

partners: Russia 15%, Latvia 9.9%, Poland 8.1%, Germany 7.3%, US 5.2%, Estonia 5%, Sweden 4.8% (2017)

### **Imports**

\$31.56 billion (2017 est.)

partners: Russia 13%, Germany 12.3%, Poland 10.6%, Latvia 7.1%, Italy 5.2%, Netherlands 5.1%, Sweden 4% (2017)

# **PEOPLE & SOCIETY**

# **Population**

2.7 million (July 2020 est.)

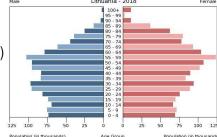
## **Population Growth**

-1.13% (2020 est.)

# **Ethnicity**

Lithuanian 84.1%, Polish 6.6%, Russian 5.8%,

Belarusian 1.2%, other 1.1%, unspecified 1.2% (2011 est.)



# Language

Lithuanian (official) 82%, Russian 8%, Polish 5.6%, other 0.9%, unspecified 3.5% (2011 est.)

# Religion

Roman Catholic 77.2%, Russian Orthodox 4.1%, Old Believer 0.8%, Evangelical Lutheran 0.6%, Evangelical Reformist 0.2%, other (including Sunni Muslim, Jewish, Greek Catholic, and Karaite) 0.8%, none 6.1%, unspecified 10.1% (2011 est.)

# Urbanization

urban population: 68% of total population (2020)

rate of urbanization: -0.31% annual rate of change (2015-20 est.)

# Literacy

99.8% (2015)